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169 Front St. Marietta. O

ELEVEN HURT.

Gas in Rheinstrom's Distillery, Cincinnati, Explodes.

One of the Unfortunates Blown Twenty Feet and Badly Burned.

The Firm was Boring For Water, When Natural Gas was Struck—Instantly the Odorless Fiuld Ignited by the Boll-er Fire and Explosion Followed.

CINCINNATI, March 13 .- Natural gas was struck in boring for water at the Rheinstrom Brothers' distillery, at Front and Martin streets, Friday afternoon, causing a bad explosion in the

Eleven persons were badly burned, and the boiler-room was dismantled. The gas was still escaping when the fire department arrived, but it was thought that the flames could be kept in check and the damage held down to

\$4,000 or \$5,000. Rheinstrom Bros. contracted with the Bradford Milling Co. to sink an artesian well to secure a supply of pure wa-

ter for the distillery.

The well was being bored in the boiler-room about four feet from one of the boilers. The drill was being operated by Erastus Weaver and James Fallon. At a depth of 200 feet natural gas was struck.

Being odorless the gas, the existence of which in this section was not dreamed of, was not discovered by the workmen until a great volume of it rushed out of the pipe at the surface.

Instantly the gas ignited from the fire box under the boiler and a terrible explosion followed.

The large number of employes of the distillery, horror stricken, rushed from the building. Some of the cooler heads started in the direction of the boiler room to investigate and found three injured men prostrate, apparently more

dead than alive. The explosion was heard from considerable distance, and soon all the windows and doors of the neighborhood were filled with people look-ing excitedly about for the cause of the report and the trembling of their

The gas was still escaping at a late

hour Friday afternoon. Engineer Keifer had just stepped into the boiler room when the explosion

The fact of the discovery of natural gas alone created great excitement over the city, and will doubtless lead to prospecting for the article that only a few cities in the country enjoy.

FIRST DEGREE MURDER.

Charles Morris, Colored, Found Guilty at Xenia, O., for a Crime Committed Ten

COLUMBUS, O., March 13.-A press special from Xenia says that a verdict of murder in the first degree was returned Friday morning against Charles Morris, a colored man, charged with the murder of a farmer named Douthert and his wife at that place more than ten years ago. The house in Why not culture, educate the sense of "taste?" Because you are not rich isn't an excuse. We have made it possible for every one to culture their taste for articles of food of the highest tandard. Even enjoy the table luxur-'es. It gives the body more strength and durability to be nourished on pure later Morris was sent to the state prison nutritious foods and educates your later Morris was sent to the state prison taste for a better mode of living. We for another offense, and not long ago, sell the Rolston Health Foodds and the when very sick, and thinking he was purest groceries we can buy, and the going to die, he confessed that he killed prices are kept down to the lowest Farmer Douthert and his wife. He recovered, however, and his defense tried to prove that the alleged confession was made in delirium. A stock buyer, The popular Loan was all right and however, identified money found in Morris' possession after the murder, as having been paid by him to Douthert for stock.

Shipping Southern Corn to Europe AUGUSTA, Ga., March 13.-The low price of corn has created a demand for it in Europe and as a result shipments have been very heavy, especially from southern ports. The crop in the south was far in excess of its own needs. As an instance of the increase in this export trade, Port Royal may be cited. Last year this port cleared 116,900 bags of flour and only 200,000 bushels of corn. This year already 1,250,000 bushels of corn have been exported and a shipment of 800,000 bushels more is already contracted for. The south and west both contribute to this supply.

Perished in Her Burning House. CHARLESTON, W. Va., March 13 .- The house of John Johnson, of West Charleston, burned at 10 o'clock Friday morning. When the fire was discovered Eunice Johnson was seen lying on the floor of the hall, evidently living. A hook was thrown over her and she was rescue her. The origin of the fire is unknown. Miss Johnson was the only person in the house at the time. She was subject to fits and had once before fallen in the fire.

Negotiating for Peace. ROME, March 13.—The report that the talians are negotiating with King Menelek to the end of concluding peace between Italy and Abyssinia is confirmed upon official authority. It is learned that Gens. Albertone and Nava and many other Italian officers, who were believed to have been killed in the battle at Adowa, on March 1, are

not dead. Appointed Special Architect.
WASHINGTON, March 13.—Secretary Carlisle Friday appointed Henry Ives Cobb, of Chicago, special architect to assist the supervising architect in preparing plans, designs and specifications for the new public building at Chicago. The salary is \$4,500 per annum.

Fire Aboard a Spanish Steamer. VALENCIA, March 13 .- Fire was discovered Friday in the hold of the Spanish steamer Martin Seanz, which recently arrived from New Orleans and was discharging her cargo. All of the goods in the ship's forehold were

CONDENSED NEWS

Gathered From All Parts of the Country

between Russia and China is confirmed The house Thursday spent all of its time in considering contested election

Menelek for the conclusion of peace.

don, from Bombay says that Samuel L. Clemens (Mark Twain) is seriously ill at Jeypore.

The Neue Frie Presse says that the

U. S. District Attorney Sawyer has ommenced snit at Omaha against the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy railroad et al. to cancel land grants alleged to be held by settlers under the laws of the government. Fall five thousand persons are affected by the

Ex-Gov. Fifer, who was notified Thursday afternoon of his election as national committeeman for Illinois. telegraphed his declination of the honor. He based his action upon the fact that he is out of politics and that he is engrossed in private and profes-

Commissioner Eva Booth at Thursday night's meeting of the Salvation Army auxiliaries announced that she had re ceived a cablegram from Chief of Staff Bramwell Booth, announcing the appointment of Com. Booth Tucker and his wife to take charge of the forces in the United States.

Phil. McGoldrich, of Los Angeles, was Francisco, in the second round.

to adjoining counties and Indiana were capital stock is \$100,000.

armer: variable winds

THE MARKETS.

CINCINNATI, March 13. CINCINNATI, March 13.
FLOUR—Spring patent, \$3.55@3.80; spring fancy, \$3.55@3.30; spring family, \$1.75@1.90; winter patent, \$1.65@1.85; fancy, \$3.35@3.85; family, 2.96@3.20; extra, \$2.33@2.50; low grade, \$2.00@2.35; rye, northwestern, \$2.55@2.65; docity, \$2.66@2.70.
WHEAT—No. 2 red, 72c.
CORN—Sales: No. 2 yellow, track, 70c; 2 cars do, 30 jc.
OATS—Sales: Sample mixed, track, 22c; 4

ears No. 3 white, track, 23c. Hogs-Select butchers', (4.10@4.17%; fair to Hogs—Select butchers', 44.104.17;; fair to good packers': \$4.004.10; fair to good light, (3.90.24.15; common and roughs, \$2.5534.00 CATTLE—Fair to good shippers', 43.5564.15; choice, \$4.75; good to choice butchers', \$3.8564.10; fair to medium butchers', \$3.2563.37s; common, \$2.5063.13.

Sheep and Lambs—Sheep: Extras, \$3.65; good to choice, \$4.856,50; common to fair, \$2.002.75. Lambs: Extras, \$4.75; good to choice, \$4.3564.65; common to fair, \$3.7564.425.

Veal Calves—Fair to good light, \$4.75% 5.50; extra, \$5.75; common and large, \$3.00%4.50.

Wool.—Unwashed: Fine merino, per lb, \$3.00; quarter blood clothing, 13.214c; medium clothing, 140.15c; coarse, 122.14c; medium combing, 15c. Washed: Fine merino, X to XX, per lb, 13.014c; medium clothing, 16c; delaine, ficece, 15%16c; long combing, 142.15c; quarter blood and low, 13.014c.

014@70Mc. CORN—No. 2 May 35M@35Mc; June, 34@36Mci. OATS-No. 2 dull; May, 25 3-16c; western, 26@

TOLEDO, March 13. WHEAT—No. 2 red, cash, 694c; May, 704c; July, 66c; August, 65c; No. 3 red cash, 674c, Corn.—No. 2 mixed, May, 304c. OATS—No. 2 mixed May, 20c.

Hocs-Philadelphias, \$4.55@4.60; pigs and common Yorkers, \$4.35@4.45; roughs, \$1.00

common, \$2.75@3.18. Lambs, \$3.50@1.85. BALTIMORE, March 12. WHEAT—No. 2 red. spot, 72@735ac; March, 75c; May, 714@7156c; July, 71c; southern, 78.

RYS-No. 2, 43@44c near by: 40@47c western. CHICAGO, March 12

Calls on May wheat opened at 64%, dedined to 64%, last price, 644664%, Puts
opened at 63%, declined to 63c, last price, 63%,
Calls on May corn opened at 20%30%, sold
at 30% t, last price, 29%. Puts opened at 30%,
sold at 30%30%, last price, 29% bid.

BUFFALO, March 12

Sold at 30%30);c. last price; 29%c bid.

BUFFALO, March 12

CATTLE—Good to medium steers, \$1.50%4.00; fat cows, \$1.75%3.25; veals, \$4.00%4.50.

Hous—Yorkers, \$1.45%4.50; mixed and mediums, \$1.35%4.40; pigs, \$1.40%4.50.

SHEEP AND LAMSS—Prime lambs, \$1.75% i \$5; fair to good, \$1.25%4.55; mixed sheep thoice, \$1.85%4.60; fair to good, \$3.25%1.75.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., March 12

CATTLE—Good to choice shipping, \$1.50%1.00; medium to good, \$3.50%3.75; common, \$3.55%3.75.

by Telegraph.

The reported conclusion of a treaty

It is reported that the Italians in Abyssinia are negotiating with King

A dispatch to the Central News, Lon-

The Mississippi legislature has passed a bill authorizing the expenditure of \$550,000 for a new capital. The senate appropriated \$1,000,000 for this purpose, and a compromise of \$750,000 is most probable.

entire Italian garrison at Verona have deserted with their arms and baggage and crossed the Austrian border into Tyrol. Hundreds of Italian deserters are crossing the border daily!

The vessel which is said to have left Philadelphia for Cuba a week ago Thursday, with arms and ammunition, is reported to have landed safely at a small bay in the eastern end of the island, and within six hours the entire cargo was placed in the hands of insurgent agents.

sional business.

At San Francisco the fight between Alex Greggains and Tom Sharkey, the Marine, Thursday night, was declared a draw at the conclusion of the eighth round by Referee John L. Sullivan. knocked out by Dal Hawkins, of San

Midland Transit Company Incorporated CHICAGO, March 13.—Articles of in-corporation of the Chicggo Midland Transit company, a belt line extending Thursday at Springfield. The

The Gold Reserve.

WASHINGTON, March 13 .- The treasrry gold reserve at the close of business Thursday stood at \$126,054,835. The withdrawals for the day were \$162,

The Weather.

The Weather.

Washington. March 13—Ohio—Saturday fair and warmer; variable winds.

West Virginia—Saturday fair and warmer; northerly winds, becoming variable.

Kentucky—Saturday fair and warmer; northerly winds, becoming southwesterly.

Indiana—Saturday increasing cloudiness; warmer; variable winds.

OATS-Sales: Sample mixed, track, 22c;

VEAL CALVES-Fair to good light, \$4.75@

NEW YORK, March 13. WHEAT-No. 2 red May, 7014@7014c; June,

PITTSBURGH, March 12 CATTLE-Prime, \$4.40@4.50; good butchers, \$1.75@4.10; rough fat, \$3.20@3.80; calves, \$2.50@

SHEEP-Prime, \$3.85@3.90; fair, \$1.40@165;

E77c.

CORN-Mixed spot. March and April. 34@

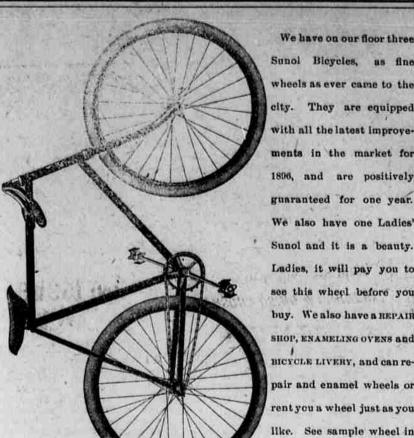
14%c: May. 344@344c: July. 35c; steamer
mixed.33@334c: southern, 344@35c.

OATS-No. 2 white western, 354@7c: No. 2

MARINE

Hogs—Good to choice medium and heavy, 4: 10094-15; mixed and heavy, 5: 00024-10; choice lights, 54:15094-20.

SHEEF—Good to choice lambs, 54:15094-50; nommon, 12:00024-00; good to choice sheep, 12:74024-03.



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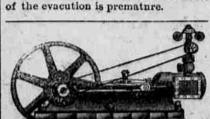
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PANIC AT A FIRE.

Hundreds of Young Men and Women Rush From a Burning Building.

CHICAGO, March 11 .- A fire which was source of danger to hundreds of men and women, boys and girls, started Tuesday afternoon in the stock room of the Lartz Wall Paper Co., on the second floor of the six-story stone front building which the company leases from the Martin Ryerson estate, located at 47-49 Randolph street. Only an alley separates the structure from the towering Masonic temple on State street. The total loss on building and contents will not exceed \$40,000, principally to the high grade stock of the Lartz company, and more from water than fire. On the fourth floor were 350 young men and girls, pupils of the Chicago Business college. Although they were told quietly to leave the building and there was no danger, none of them waited to get all their clothing or belongings and rushed pell mell down the narrow stairs to the street, where those who had their hats, coats and cloaks, dressed in the presence of the excited crowds. In like manner over 100 employes of Lord & Thomas, the advertising firm, and 125 girls and others employed on the fifth floor by the E. L. Mansure Co., fringe makers, made a hasty exit by stairs, fire-escapes and some by the single elevator, which ran in spite of a flooded basement. Several girls from the college and fringe factory fainted in the rush of getting to the street and policemen carried them outside.

The Report is Premature ROME, March 12.-Judging from various indications, the report recently circulated that Gen. Baldizraz's order



STEAM AND GASOLINE

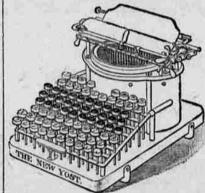
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